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DIVISION OF COMMERCIAL FISHERIES

FISHERY UPDATE



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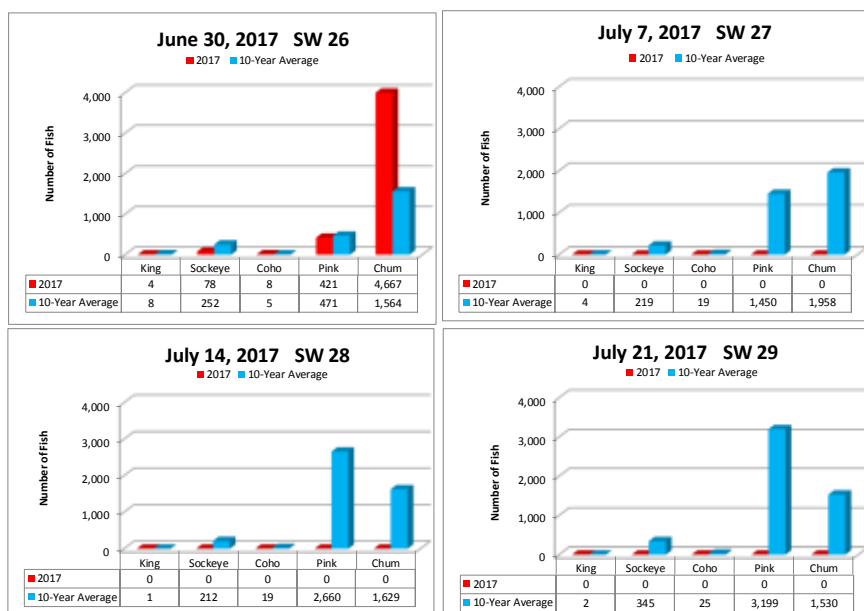
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2017 HAWK INLET TEST FISHERY UPDATE # 1

The department conducted the first of the 2017 Hawk Inlet shoreline test fisheries today. Comparing the total harvests for the day to the ten-year average total harvests, all species except for chum salmon were below average. For the approximate date, the pink salmon harvest was 89% of the ten-year average and 34% of the recent odd year average. The sockeye salmon harvest was 31% the 10-year average and the chum salmon harvest was 298% of the 10-yr average.

The pink salmon sex ratio was 67% male, below the average of 72% male for previous years test fisheries conducted on or about this date.



Hawk Inlet test fishery updates will be posted on the ADF&G web site listed below.

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